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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 22, 2002 (Paper No. 7), finally rejecting claims 1-20, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the application in view of the comments set forth below.

**In the Claims**

For the Examiner's convenience, all of the current claims have been reproduced herein.